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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action mailed December 27, 2005 to which Applicant has a shortened statutory period up to March 27, 2006 for this reply. A second Information Disclosure Statement and copies of the two listed references accompany this response. Applicant assumes that entry of this second Information Disclosure statement requires another fee of \$180, and submits a check in that amount. If no fee is due, a refund is requested. The **Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper; and, **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.